

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116
EXPEDITED PROSECUTION ART GROUP 1794

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
NOBUHIRO YASUI ET AL.) : Examiner: Holly C. Rickman
Application No.: 10/532,232) : Group Art Unit: 1794
Filed: April 22, 2005) : Confirmation No.: 9042
For: STRUCTURED MATERIAL,)
MAGNETIC RECORDING) :
MEDIUM UTILIZING THE)
SAME, AND MAGNETIC) :
RECODING/REPRODUCING) :
APPARATUS : January 8, 2009

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sirs:

(a) Introductory Comments:

In reply to the final Official Action dated October 8, 2008, kindly amend the subject application under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 as follows: